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For: SPREAD-SPECTRUM CODE DIVISION :  
DESTINATION ACCESS (SS-CDDA) FOR : Examiner: Inder P. Mehra  
SATELLITE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM :  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Final Rejection dated June 14, 2005.  
The rejections as they pertain to the patentability of the claims are hereby respectfully  
traversed.